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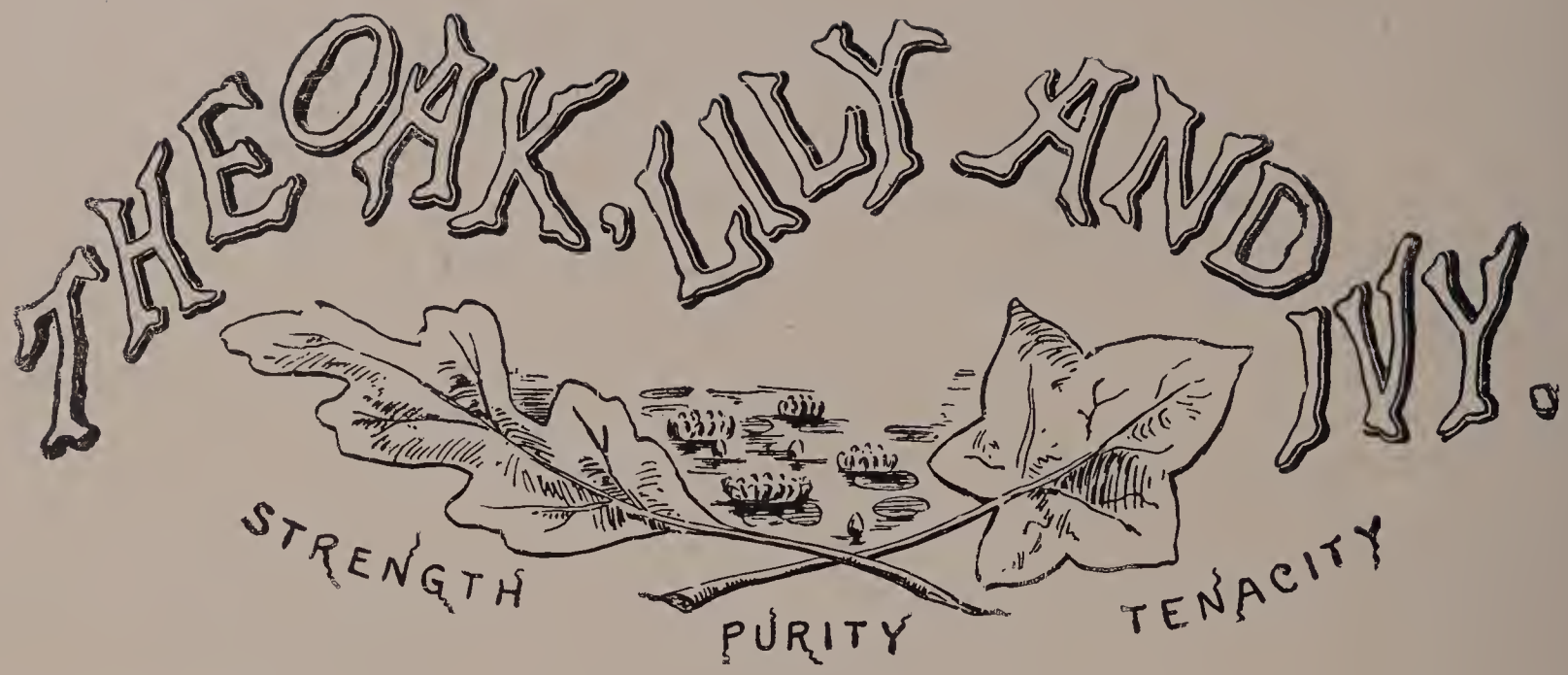

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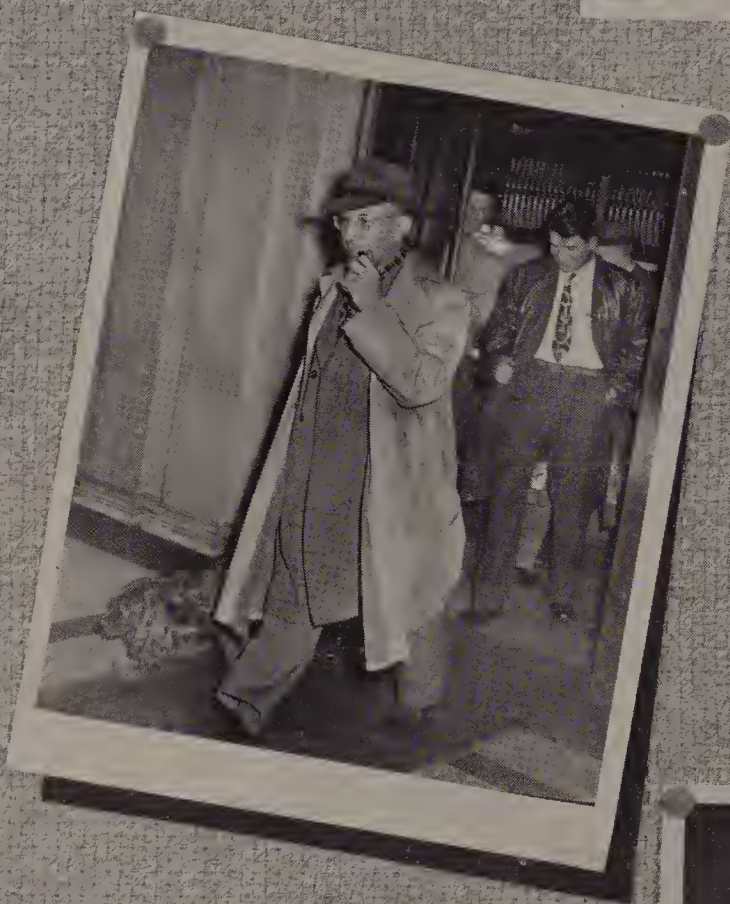


ADMINISTRATION

Meet Our School Committee . . . . . .

Our school committee is a very versatile group. Several of the most important careers are listed as occupations by its members. The medical profession was represented by Dr. Capece, who is also a member of our board of Health. Marco Balzarini represents the business interests in town, as manager of one of our super markets. He is also a member of the board of Selectmen. Wallace O'Brien in his capacity as Investigator for the Registry of Motor Vehicles, shows great interest in the safety programs designed for the schools. A new member of the committee, John Pyne brings to the committee a knowledge of working conditions and the needs of a new graduate. Mr. Pyne is employed at Draper Corporation. Attorney William Bellantonio, the vice chairman of the committee, in addition to his law practice he also performs the duties of Probation Officer for the local district court. The chairman of our committee, Attorney Anna M. O'Brien, created history this year. Mrs. O'Brien became the first woman to be named chairman of a local school committee.

Among the innovations made under the guidance of our committee was the new Cafeteria. The brain-child of Mr. Davoren, our Superintendent, the cafeteria has become most popular in our school life and activities.

Our Principal . . . . . .

Mr. Joseph J. Tosches

Memories of MHS will always be among our most treasured possessions. In our minds one of the people who will always epitomize those memories will remain as a symbol of all the fine things, of the knowledge, of the inspiration which was instilled in our minds here at Milford High.

Mr. Tosches has played an ever increasing important part in our lives. With a firm, gentle hand he has guided us through the vast pitfalls of eager adolescence. Keenly devoted to his students, Mr. Tosches has displayed sincere warmth and understanding in dealing with our personal problems.

Our Faculty

Miss Claire Lynch
Social Studies
Science

Miss Mary Burns
Geography
French

Dr. Marion Ryan
English
Latin

Miss Dorothy Callahan
Algebra
History

Mr. Fred Metcalf
Biology
Physics

Miss Eva L. Burns
Typewriting
General Business

Miss Philomena Colavita
English

Mr. Philip O'Donnell
Latin
U. S. History
Economics
Commercial Law

Mrs. Margret Burns
Algebra
Chemistry
Geometry
Pract. Math.

Miss Catherine Curtin
Counseling
Typewriting
Mathematics

Mr. Ben Lancisi
Musical Director

Miss Hannah Callanan
U. S. History
World History

Mr. Benjamin Consoletti
El. Science
Geometry

Miss Margaret Pianca
French
German

Miss Sadie O'Connell
English
Speech

Mr. Charles Brucato
Director of Athletics

Miss Dorcas Whipple
Art
Art Appreciation

Miss Margaret Pyne
Law
Economics
General Business
Typewriting

Mr. Alex DiGiannantonio
Supervisor of Music

Mr. Harold Moran
Director of Guidance

Mr. J. Francis Cahill
English
Math
Problems of Democracy

Miss Rose Farese
General Business
Stenography
Office Practice

Mr. Charles Espanet
Social Studies

Miss Agnes Lynch
Typewriting
Office Practice
Stenography
Transcription

Mr. J. Gerard Sweeney
English
Problems of Democracy

Miss Josephine Calarese
Bookkeeping
General Business

Miss Marie Cenedella
English

Mr. Gabriel DiBattista
Social Studies
Italian

SENIORS

RICHARD AGHAJANIAN

Ambition: Successful Businessman

Hobby: Music Pet Aversion: Monday morning

Activities: Glee Club 3; Science Club 4; Junior Red Cross; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball; Minstrel Show 3, 4; Senior Music; Senior Week.

Richie is a happy-go-lucky fellow who never takes anything seriously. His ready joke and laugh make him welcome everywhere.

RAFFALENA MARY ALBERTA

Ambition: Beautician

Hobby: Ice Skating and Music Pet Aversion: Getting up early

Activities: Band 3, 4; Minstrel Show 2, 3, 4; Associate Dance Committee; Junior Ring Committee; Budget Club 4; Commercial Club 3; Glee Club 1; Senior Music; M.H.S.S.A.; Senior Week.

To know Raffie is to know her as a true friend. Her pleasing appearance and manner will make her a success.

PRISCILLA JANE ALLEN

Ambition: Journalist

Hobby: Writing Stories Pet Aversion: B. T. O. Boys

Activities: Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Senior Music; M.H.S.S.A.; O.L.I. Committee; Associate Dance Committee; Budget Club 4; Commercial Club 3.

Priscilla is one of our petite and lively classmates. Her flair for writing produced many an interesting and long remembered story.

PAUL MICHAEL AREANO

Ambition: Interior Decorator

Hobby: Dancing Pet Aversion: Getting Up Mornings

Activities: Minstrel Show 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Dante Club; Football 2; Senior Music.

Paulie is one of Mr. Lancisi's "he men." He starred in minstrel shows for the last three years, displaying much wit.

BETTY ANN AZEVEDO

Ambition: Dancer

Hobby: Record Collecting, Dancing
Pet Aversion: Showoffs, Jealous People

Activities: Glee Club 3, 4; O.L.I. Committee; Budget Club 4; Minstrel Show 4; Commercial Club 3; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Music.

Betty is argumentative but in a nice way. The path of her career will undoubtedly be strewn with stardust and fortune.

DOROTHY PARTICIA BACCHIOCCHI

Ambition: Nurse

Hobby: Eating
Pet Aversion: Show Offs

Activities: Glee Club 3, 4; Minstrel Show 4; Budget Club 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Music.

Dot is short and sweet just like her name. Her disposition makes her choice of profession a wise one.

ELEANOR MAE BARNES

Ambition: Furthering My Education

Hobby: Sewing and Roller-Skating
Pet Aversion: People Without Manners

Activities: M.H.S.S.A. 3, 4; Commercial Club 3; Senior Music.

Here's a girl with a very wholesome ambition along with a love for roller-skating. Franklin went into mourning when the Barnes family moved to Milford.

KARAKIAN BEDROSIAN

Ambition: To Own The New York Yankees

Hobby: The Yankees, Eating
Pet Aversion: Eating Alone

Activities: Junior Science Club 3, 4; Handbook Committee 3, 4; Junior Senior Reception 3; French Club 4; Budget Club 4; President 4; Student Council 4; Glee Club; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Jr. Associate O.L.I. 3; Minstrel Show 4; Senior Music; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Week Committee.

Kutty's good spirit and friendly smile is the answer to his being liked by all his classmates. His determination can only end in achievement.

WILLIAM RAINES BELLAFATTO

Ambition: Business Man

Hobby: Fishing and Hunting Pet Aversion: None

Activities: M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Budget Club 4; Senior Music.

Billy can always be seen smiling and without a grudge toward anyone. He will be an inevitable success in business life.

RITA MARIE BERARDI

Ambition: Surgical Nurse

Hobby: Sports and the Movies Pet Aversion: Alarm Clocks

Activities: Student Council 1, 3, 4; Dante Club 2, 3; Science Club 4; German Club 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Junior Ring Committee 3; Handbook Committee 2; Junior O.L.I. Committee 3; Basketball 1, 2; Budget Club 4; Senior Music; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Week; Honor Group.

Rita is a good student with an easy-going disposition. Her chosen career is one exceptionally well suited for her.

LOUIS PETER BERTONAZZI

Ambition: To Live a Long Life

Hobby: Hudsons and Dancing Pet Aversion: Work

Activities: President 1; Student Council 1; Intramural Basketball; Minstrel Show; Band; M.H.S.S.A.; Budget Club 4; French Club, President 4; German Club 4; Handbook Committee 2; Sophmore Dance Committee; Senior Music.

"Snooky" is a hit with the girls, detests work, loves to talk about Hudsons. His skillful dancing featured our stage shows for several years.

REGINA VERONICA BIANCHI

Ambition: Teaching

Hobby: Sleeping

Pet Aversion: Cobwebs and Hiccoughs

Activities: Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Dante Club 3, 4; German Club, President 4; Junior Science Club 3, 4; Junior Dance Committee 3; Minstrel Show 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; O.L.I. Committee 4; Secretary 1, 2; Student Council 2; Budget Club 4; Basketball 1, 2; Senior Music; Honor Group.

Gina is argumentative, well groomed, has a friendly disposition, and never misses a football game. Her pet aversion is unique, to say the least.

ELEANOR ANN BONI

Ambition: Success in Life

Hobby: Eating and Baseball Pet Aversion: Red Sox

Activities: Commercial Club 3, 4; Budget Club 4; Glee Club; O.L.I. Committee 4; Senior Music; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4.

There is never a dull moment when Eleanor's around. Yankee enthusiast, she thinks DiMaggio should be paid more than the Brink Robbers.

NUNZIO JOSEPH BONINA

Ambition: Success

Hobby: Music and Dancing

Pet Aversion: The Name Nunzio

Activities: Commercial Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club; Senior Music 4; Budget Club 4; Junior Prom Committee.

NuNu is full of fun. His jovial disposition makes him an immediate success with everyone he meets.

DOROTHY PHYLLIS BRACCI

Ambition: Child's Nurse

Hobby: Rollerskating, Swimming, Sewing

Pet Aversion: Bellingham Boys

Activities: Commercial Club 3, 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Music 4.

Dotty is our sweet, slight, classmate. With her patience, generosity, and loving ways, she cannot help but make a fine child's nurse.

HELEN-LOU BREAULT

Ambition: To be a Success in Life

Hobby: Eating and Dancing

Pet Aversion: Staying Home Nights

Activities: Vice President 1; Student Council 1; Sophomore Dance Committee; Glee Club 4; French Club 4; Basketball 1, 2; Junior O.L.I. 3; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrel Show 1, 2, 3, 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Budget Club 4; Senior Music; Senior Week; Honor Group.

Harley is our cute and skillful baton twirler who also frequents our many affairs. Her appetite is the source of wonder from Provincetown to the Berkshires.

INA MARIE CAMERON

Ambition: Air Hostess

Hobby: Talking Pet Aversion: Getting Up Early

Activities: Commercial Club 3, 4; Glee Club; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Budget Club 4; Senior Music.

Marie brightened many a class with her talking. Her lengthy conversations if carried on by means of telephone should be responsible for record dividends for that company.

PAULINE BARBARA CARBONEAU

Ambition: Housewife

Hobby: Driving Pet Aversion: Noisy People and Waiting

Activities: Dante Club 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Librarian 3, 4; O.L.I. Committee 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Music 4.

Cubby is cheerful, friendly, and always ready to lend a helping hand. Her capability as a chef has astonished many of her friends.

ANNA LOUISE CARDONE

Ambition: Dress Designer

Hobby: Dancing Pet Aversion: Conceited Boys

Activities: M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1; Budget Club 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Senior Music 4; Senior Week.

Anna is one of the jolliest members of our class. Her intriguing nature will definitely prove beneficial to her success.

CATHERINE ELIZABETH CARLEY

Ambition: X-Ray Technician

Hobby: Tennis Pet Aversion: Conceited Boys

Activities: Commercial Club 3, 4; Basketball; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Budget Club 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Reporter, Commercial Paper 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Red Cross; Senior Music 4; Senior Week.

Cathy is friendly and courteous, a lady at all times. Her obedient nature along with her willingness to work has been well noticed by all.

BETTY ANN CENEDELLA

Ambition: Journalist

Hobby: Dancing Pet Aversion: Conceited Boys

Activities: Budget Club 4; Dante Club 3, 4; Senior Music 4; O.L.I. Committee; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4.

Betty is happy-go-lucky and always looking for excitement. Her playful disposition kept us laughing and will certainly make her well remembered.

ROBERT WILLIAM CIPRIANI

Ambition: To Succeed in Life

Hobby: Sports Pet Aversion: Getting Up Early

Activities: Manager of football team 2, 3, 4; Manager of the basketball team 2, 3; Minstrel Show 4; Glee Club 3, 4; Commercial Club 3; Intramural Basketball 1; Senior Music 4.

Bob gets along with everyone. His school spirit certainly showed up in his participation in sports. They couldn't have managed without him.

MARY LOUISE COLECCHI

Ambition: Fashion Designer

Hobby: Walking Pet Aversion: Discourteous Drivers

Activities: M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Budget Club 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Senior Music 4.

Mary is one of our quiet girls during school hours, but her jovial nature is well known outside the walls of M.H.S.

RICHARD DOUGLAS COLLINS

Ambition: Radio Sports Announcer

Hobby: Red Sox Pet Aversion: Being Called Ricky

Activities: M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball 3, 4; Minstrel Show Interlocutor 4; Speech 3, 4; Budget Club 4; Senior Music 4.

Show Interlocutor 4; Speech 3, 4; Budget Club 4; Senior will do wonders with a sports broadcast.

FILOMENA ELVIRA COSENTINO

Ambition: To Travel

Hobby: Sports, Piano Pet Aversion: Opposition

Activities: Office Girl 1, 2, 3; Dante Club 3, 4; German Club 4; Science Club 4; Junior O.L.I. Committee; O.L.I. Junior Ring Committee Treasurer; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Music 4; Honor Group.

Fay can be depended upon for good opposition to any argument. Her thoughtful reasoning often clinched a much disputed point.

PAULINE JANE COVINO

Ambition: Housewife

Hobby: Driving Racing Cars Pet Aversion: Staying Home

Activities: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Dante Club 3, 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Music.

Polly has the distinction of being Milford's only girl jalopy driver. Her ambition and aversion really clash. Decide now, Polly.

ROSEMARIE BARBARA CRESIA

Ambition: Success in Life

Hobby: Dancing Pet Aversion: Conceited People

Activities: O.L.I. Committee 4; Budget Club 4; Senior Music; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 4; Dante Club 2, 3; Secretary 4; Honor Group.

Rosey's character is portrayed by her pet aversion. Ability to work and willingness to help make her an outstanding classmate.

DOMINIC RAYMOND DALTORIO

Ambition: Draftsman

Hobby: Hunting and Fishing Pet Aversion: Work

Activities: Football 1, 2; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Music 4.

Doc is our quietest classmate. Behind that shy exterior, however, there is a heart of gold. His occasional witty remarks received many an ovation.

DOROTHY MARY D'ALESIO

Ambition: Success in Life

Hobby: Knitting and Tennis
Pet Aversion: Kutty's Whistle in the Morning

Activities: Student Council 1, 2; Vice President 2; Commercial Club 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; Budget Club Treasurer 4; Handbook Committee 2; Minstrel Show 4; Program Committee 1; Senior Music 4.

Dot is alergie to homework and always ready with a new joke. Her carefree disposition has caused wonder among all.

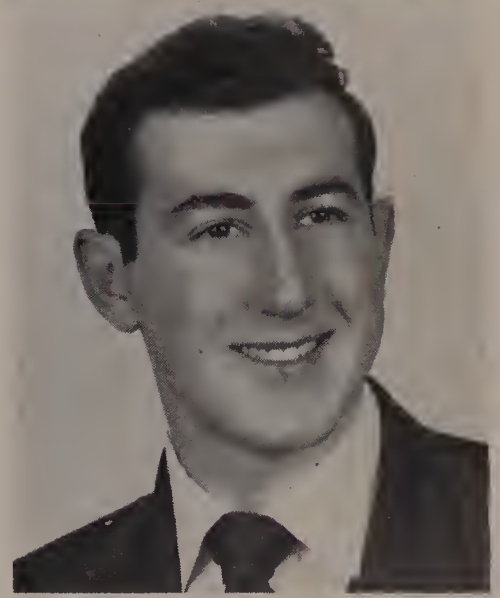
JOSEPH LOUIS D'ALLEVA

Ambition: Forest Warden

Hobby: Hockey Pet Aversion: Jealous People

Activities: Glee Club; Senior Music 4; Commercial Club 3, 4.

Joe is an outdoor life enthusiast, the tallest senior, and loves a good joke. There will be no wasting of natural resources with Joe around.



ELIZABETH ADELAIDE DE BOER

Ambition: Nurse

Hobby: Reading Pet Aversion: Complaining Customers

Activities: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrel Show 4; Budget Club 4; Senior Music 4.

Betty is smiling and sociable. We will all remember Mr. O'Donnell's fifth period history class.

RITA MARY DI BARTOLOMEIS

Ambition: Hairdresser

Hobby: Horseback Riding
Pet Aversion: B. T. O. Boys and Girls

Activities: Secretary of Glee Club 3, 4; Commercial Club 3; Budget Club 4; Camera Club 3; Basketball 1, 2; Office Girl 2; Librarian 3, 4; Senior Music 4.

Rita is one of our very efficient student librarians. Watch the beaux. Rita, there are more girls than boys.

MARY KATHERINE DILLON

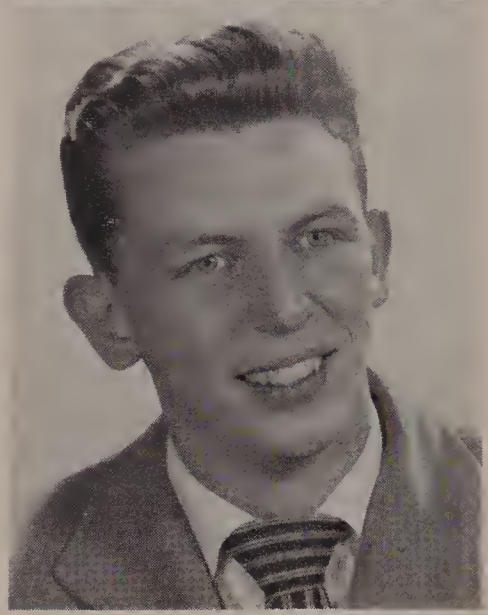
Ambition: To Make Others Happy

Hobby: Acting

Pet Aversion: Inconsiderate People

Activities: M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Budget Club 4; Junior Red Cross Council 4; Senior Music 4; Senior Week.

Mary is a dark haired, dark eyed doll with a sparkling personality. She couldn't help but make everyone she knows like her.



ANTHONY JOSEPH DINARDO

Ambition: Bio-Chemist

Hobby: Collecting Bop Records

Pet Aversion: Superficial People

Activities: Science Club - Vice President; Basketball 2, 3, 4; French Club Vice - President; Minstrel Show 3, 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; School Grounds Committee; Makeup Committee of Handbook; Senior Week.

Di is a smooth dresser, witty, goes crazy over Bop. It is impossible to beat him in an argument.

ELEANOR GLORIA DIOMEDES

Ambition: Secretary

Hobby: Traveling

Pet Aversion: Homework

Activities: Glee Club; Budget Club 4; O.L.I. Committee 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4.

Eleanor is easy going but always willing to help a friend. Her fine character will be an asset to any office.

OLGA MARIE DIOMEDES

Ambition: Band Vocalist

Hobby: Singing

Pet Aversion: Waiting

Activities: Dante Club 2, 3, 4; Junior Dance Committee 3; Commercial Club 3, 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrel Show 1, 2, 3; Budget Club 4; Senior Music.

Olga always brightened up our socials with many vocal rendiions. Minstrel shows just wouldn't be the same without her.

AUGUSTO JOSEPH DIOTALIVI

Ambition: Undecided

Hobby: Sports Pet Aversion: Chain Stores

Activities: Commercial Club 3, 4; Football 1, 3, 4; Minstrel Show 3, 4; Senior Music 4.

Gus is always without a care in the world and can liven up the dullest class. Where there's joy, there's Gus.

JOAN LORRAINE EDEN

Ambition: Hairdresser

Hobby: Dancing Pet Aversion: Dentist

Activities: French Club 4; Senior Music 4; Dance Committee 3, 4; Junior Senior Reception Committee 3; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Science Club 4.

Joannie has a sparkling personality which has resulted in a throng of friends. Her use of new styles has caused many fads among us.

RICHARD BRUCE ERICKSON

Ambition: Archaeologist

Hobby: Indian-relics, History Pet Aversion: Wise Guys

Activities: French Club; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrel Show 2, 3, 4; O.L.I. Committee, Editor-in-Chief.

Dick always has a good word for everyone. His activities ranged from playing in the band to editor-in-chief of the O.L.I. Robert's twin brother, believe it or not.

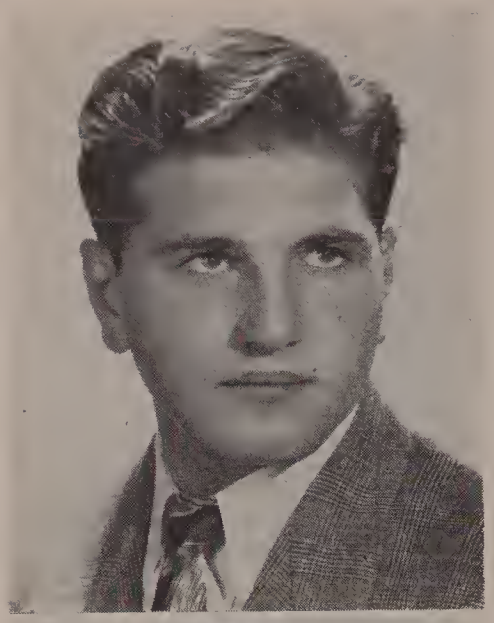
ROBERT ANDREW ERICKSON

Ambition: Carpenter

Hobby: Music Pet Aversion: Homework

Activities: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrel Show 1, 2, 3, 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1; Junior Dance Committee; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3; Theater Party 3; Senior Music 4.

Eric's a handy fellow to have around. Mr. Lancisi's carpenter, stage electrician, and right-hand man. Richard's twin brother believe it or not.



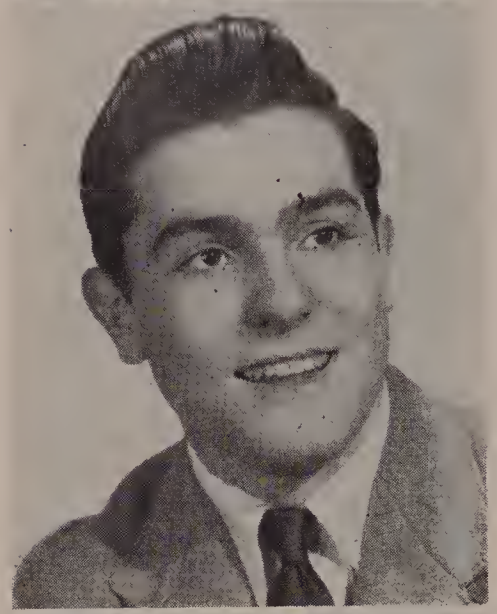
ANTHONY ROBERT FERRARO

Ambition: Marine Engineer

Hobby: Reading Pet Aversion: Alarm Clocks

Acttivities: Glee Club 2, 3; Football 2; Minstrel Show 2, 3; Senior Music.

"Star" was a leader in the Problems of Democracy class. His long discussions usually turned out to be a campaign speech.

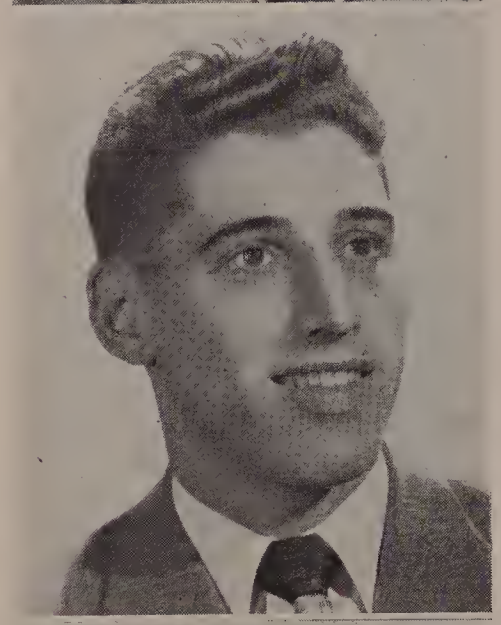


MARIO ANGELO GALA

Ambition: Business Executive

Activities: Commercial Club 3, 4; Glee Club 1; Senior Music; M.H.S.S.A.

Mario is shy with the girls and seldom is seen at Milford High socials. In spite of this, he always managed to keep the gang laughing.



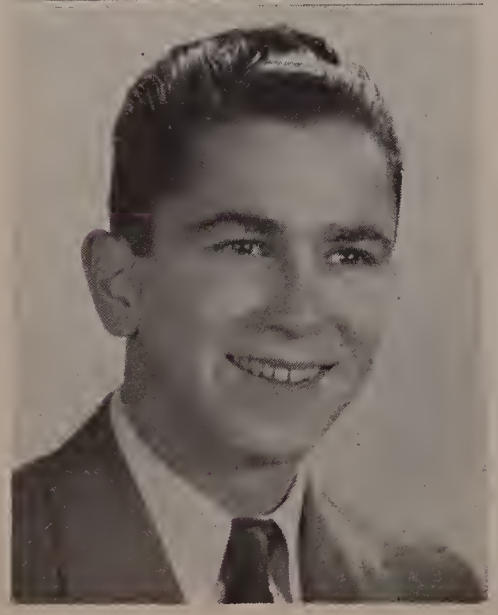
LOUIS A. GIAMARCO

Ambition: Pharmacist

Hobby: Sports Pet Aversion: Yankees

Activities: Baseball 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3; Captain 4; Science Club Vice-President 3, 4; Student Council 3, Treasurer 4; Budget Club 4; Minstrel Show 3, 4; Senior Music; Senior Week.

Lou is our all-round athlete with a wonderful sense of humor. He rates high also in scholastic ability.



ATTILIO LOUIS GIAMMARCO

Ambition: Contractor

Hobby: Playing Cards Pet Aversion: New Girls

Activities: Football 3, 4; Dante Club 2, 3, President 4; Junior Senior Reception Committee 3; Senior Music; Student Council 4; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrel Show.

Tilio is our ray of sunshine; the darkest clouds seem to lift when he's around. His friendship is greatly valued by all who know him.

ARSHAG HARRY GERMAGIAN

Ambition: Dentist

Hobby: Sports

Activities: Science Club 3, 4; Student Council 3, 4; Co-Chairman Junior Ring Committee; President Junior Class; Intramural 1, 2, 3, 4; O.L.I. Committee; Senior Music.

Harry is happy-go-lucky, artistic, and shy with girls. His ever-present smile certainly says, "I'm going places!"

TINA ANN GHELLI

Ambition: Nurse

Hobby: Eating and Dancing

Pet Aversion: Small Portions at Mealtime

Activities: Student Council 1, 2, 3; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 4; Junior Dance Committee; Junior-Senior Reception Committee; Cheerleader 2, 3; Co-Captain 4; Minstrel Show 3, 4; Budget Club 4; Dante Club; Senior Music; Senior Week.

Pert is just the word for Tina. Stock up with food before you invite her down for dinner.

JAMES FRANCIS GLENNON

Ambition: Automobile Mechanic

Activities: Budget Club 4; Glee Club 4; Camera Club 3; Football Manager 2; Baseball Manager 2; Basketball Manager 2; Football 1.

Jim is a jolly fellow with a ready comeback. His hobby should prove to be an asset in his future plans.

ROBERT ALLEN GOLDBERG

Ambition: Plumber

Hobby: Driving

Pet Aversion: Conceited People

Activities: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrel Show 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Senior Music.

Bob was the director of "Goldberg's Shamrocks" in our 1949 Minstrel Show. If he puts as much effort into plumbing he can't fail.

JOSEPH MICHAEL GRIFFITH

Ambition: Accountant

Hobby: Sports Pet Aversion: Wearing a Hat

Activities: Football 1, 2, 3; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstel Show 3, 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Budget Club 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Glee Club 3; Senior Music 4, Senior Week.

Joe's fondness for music was evidenced by songs played for him over WKOX. His defense of the A & P has won it support in its Anti-Trust suit.

RICHARD A. GRILLO

Ambition: Pharmacist

Hobby: Dancing Pet Aversion: Cracking Knuckles

Activities: Dante Club 3; Minstrel Show 3, 4; Intramural Basketball 1, 2; Budget 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Treasurer 2; Glee Club 2, 3; Football 1.

Dickie is a perfect dancer and he has a host of friends. There is never a dull moment when is around.

MURIEL ELIZABETH HACKENSON

Ambition: To Bring Happiness to Others

Hobby: Day-dreaming Pet Aversion: Cigar Smoke

Activities: M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Budget Club 4; Senior Music 4; O.L.I. Committee.

Bringing happiness to others is just what Muriel does. Although shy, a smile is always directed your way. How she ever deciphered bookkeeping is beyond us!

MARY HINTLIAN

Ambition: Store Manager

Hobby: Cooking Pet Aversion: Sophisticated People

Activities: M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2; Junior Red Cross 1, 2; Budget Club 4; Librarian 4; Senior Music 4.

Mary can usually be seen driving that big, shiny Buick. Along with being a good cook, she is also a keen business woman.

ALFRED EUGENE HOMAND

Ambition: Business Man

Hobby: Bowling Pet Aversion: Working

Activities: Budget Club; M.H.S.S.A.; Commercial Club; Senior Music.

Freddie may appear to be a quiet sort of person, but actually he has a genuine love for fun. We often missed his company at our socials.

RUDOLPH ROBERT IACOVELLI

Ambition: To Enter Business

Hobby: Sports Pet Aversion: Conceited Girls

Activities: Minstrel Show 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Ring Committee; Junior Red Cross 4; Handbook Committee 3; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Music, Senior Week.

Rudy is one of the most courteous boys in the class; a sharp dresser; sports-minded; famous for: "Are you for real?"

ALFRED JAMES IADAROLA

Ambition: Aviation Mechanic Specialist

Hobby: Photography Pet Aversion: Getting Up

Activities: Football 1, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Music 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4.

Fred is quiet, an active sports enthusiast, and is seldom seen at Milford High socials. Keep 'em flying.

ERNESTINE THERESA IANNITELLI

Ambition: Medical Secretary

Hobby: Dancing

Pet Aversion: Waiting and Moody People

Activities: Commercial Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Dante Club 2, 3, 4; Office Girl;Minstrel Show 2, 3, 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3; O.L.I. Committee; Budget Club 4.

Ernie is known for her pleasing personality and patient disposition. Her good natured ways are a definite sign of success.

NEIL ANTHONY JIONZO

Ambition: Professional Baseball Player

Hobby: Traveling

Activities: Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 4; Budget Club 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Minstrel Show 2; Student Council 1, 2.

Neil has proved to be both witty and pacific. His exceptional skill on the baseball field will attract big league attention.

WILLIAM HAROLD KEARNAN

Ambition: Electrican

Hobby: Baseball

Pet Aversion: Yankee Fans

Activities: Student Council 1; Class Treasurer 2; O.L.I. Commtitee 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4.

Sonny's two points in the dwindling seconds of play caused the St. Mary's hoopsters to tear out their hair. His comely features cause a mild sensation among the girls.

BARBARA ELLEN KLEM

Ambition: F.B.I. Research Work

Hobby: Dancing and Playing the Drum

Pet Aversion: Hats

Activities: Band 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrel Show 4; Student Council 1; Junior O.L.I. Committee; Senior Week, Honor Group.

Barbs is our attraction to the snappy drum section of the band, is amicable, and one of our most promising classmates.

ELAINE DEBORAH KURLANSKY

Ambition: Nurse

Hobby: Music

Pet Aversion: Dentist

Activities: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Junior O.L.I.; French Club; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Budget Club 4; O.L.I. Committee.

One of our petite seniors; never hurries — almost always late. Debbie will succeed in whatever she endeavors.

ALBERT MARIO LANCISI

Ambition: Hockey Player

Hobby: Soap Carving Pet Aversion: Work

Activities: Drive Committee 3, 4; Budget Club 4; Senior Music 4; Intramural Basketball 2, 3, 4.

Al could carve more things out of a cake of Ivory than Proctor and Gamble. His friendly attitude belies his actions on the hockey rink.

RITA JEAN LIBERATORE

Ambition: Office Worker

Hobby: Skating Pet Aversion: Waiting

Activities: Commercial Club 3, 4; O.L.I. Committee 4; Senior Music; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Budget Club 4.

Rita is our nominee for the typical American girl. She'll always be on the credit side of our ledger when we make up the balance sheet of class activities.

ELIZABETH JOAN LOMBARDI

Ambition: Journalist

Hobby: Movies Pet Aversion: Waiting

Activities: Commercial Club 3, 4; Budget Club 4; Senior Week.

Betty is friendly, talkative and always dependable. Her ever-ready smile always brightened up second period bookkeeping class.

DAVID JOHN LUZIETTI

Ambition: College

Hobby: Reading Pet Aversion: Peaches

Activities: Science Club 4; Dante Club 4; Camera Club 3; Budget Club; Minstrel Show 3; Senior Music 4.

Dave is our Einstein in science. His effervescence has started many an epidemic of laughter.

IRWIN BARRY MACKLOW

Ambition: College Teacher

Hobby: Baseball

Pet Aversion: Sarcastic People

Activities: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball 2, 3, 4; Minstrel Show 2, 3, 4; Budget Club 4; Junior Senior Reception Committee 3; Senior Week.

What would the band do without Mack? His calm demeanor and comely red hair are the envy of all his friends.

JOSEPH FRANCIS MAININI, JR.

Ambition: Chemist

Hobby: Swimming

Pet Aversion: Getting Up Early and Shaving

Activities: O.L.I. Committee; Budget Club; Camera Club 3; Football 1.

On occasion the projector balked but through Joe's skill the show finally went on.

HENRY ROBERT MARCOLINI

Ambition: Coach

Hobby: Collecting Sports Articles

Pet Aversion: Poor Sportsmanship

Activities: O.L.I. Committee; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Handbook Committee 4; Senior Music.

Hank became famous for his trip up Central Street in the high school Buick. Insurance rates will drop as soon as he can differentiate between a brake and gas pedal.

CLOTILDA JEAN MARCONE

Ambition: Physical Education Instructor

Hobby: Sports

Pet Aversion: Conceited Boys

Activities: Cheerleader 2, 3, Co-Captain 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Minstrel Show 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Budget Club; O.L.I. Committee.

Tillie is a real live-wire around the school. Her activity as a cheerleader resulted in frequent attacks of laryngitis.

ROBERT ALFRED MELPIGNANO

Ambition: X-Ray Technician

Hobby: Model Building Pet Aversion: Eating Alone

Activities: Minstrel Show 3. 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Reception Committee; Handbook Committee 3; School and Grounds Committee; Commercial Club Director 3, 4.

Mel is our modest musical genius. His original compositions delighted us at the Junior-Senior Reception. Best of luck, Bob, you'll succeed.

JEAN MARIE MORGANELLI

Ambition: Nurse

Hobby: Sports and Dancing
Pet Aversion: Getting Up in the Morning

Activities: Budget Club 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrel Show 2, 4; Program Committee; Junior Ring Committee; Junior-Senior Reception Committee; Dante Club 2, 3; German Club 3, 4; Senior Music 4, Senior Week.

Jeanie is always seen rushing around going nowhere in particular. But, she has many admirable traits that make her one of the best.

VIRGINIA IRENE MURADIAN

Ambition: Secretary

Hobby: Movies Pet Aversion:: Shakespeare's Writing

Activities: Budget Club 4; Senior Music 4; O.L.I. Committee; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Group.

Ginny can usually be seen smiling. Mr. Raftery would certainly miss her assistance. She's the only girl we know who loves to visit jails.

FRANCIS DAVID MURPHY

Ambition: Teacher

Hobby: Skating and Talking Pet Aversion: Adolescent Girls

Activities: Cafeteria Worker 1, 2; Election Committee; Senior Music 4.

From "Murph's" pet aversion you can readily perceive that he is more of a sophisticated fellow. What pity we won't benefit by his teaching!

LOUISA ANN MURPHY

Ambition: To Travel

Hobby: Roller-skating Pet Aversion: Nick Names

Activities: M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Senior Music.

Always to be seen running about. Louisa is fast talking and fast acting. Norwood can thank this miss for its financial support.

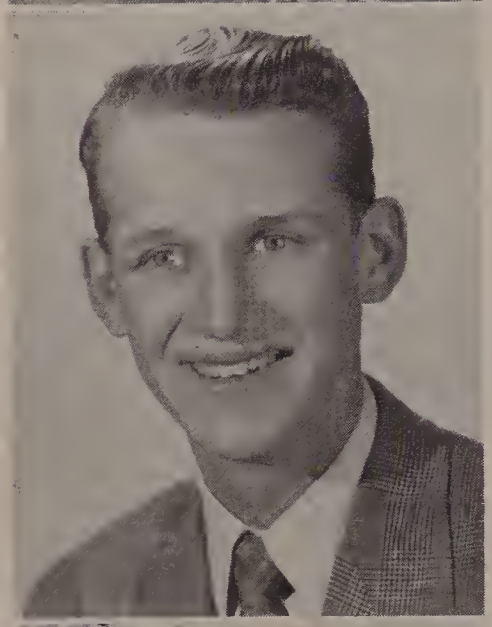
FRANCES NAMAKA

Ambition: Secretary

Hobby: Roller-skating Pet Aversion: Getting Up

Activities: Glee Club 2; Handbook Committee 2; Secretary 3; Vice-President 3; Student Council 3; Ring Committee 3; Junior-Senior Reception 3; Commercial Club 3, 4; Commercial Club Co-Editor 4; Drive Committee 4; Senior Music; Budget Club Treasurer 4; O.L.I. Committee, Literary Editor 4; French Club, Honor Group.

Frances is a teacher's dream come true. She does her homework diligently, but still attends our many socials. Frannie will brighten up an office.



EARL LEIGH NELSON

Ambition: Radio Announcer

Hobby: Announcing Football Games Pet Aversion: Blind Dates

Activities: Manager Football Team; Glec Club; Class President 2; Interlocutor at Minstrel Show 3; Junior-Senior Reception Committee 3; Commercial Club, President 4; Budget Club 4; Senior Music; Senior Week.

Earl's wit has often kept many a group in uncontrollable laughter. Macbeth is sure to turn over in his grave when Earl begins reciting.

ENRICO JOSEPH NIRO

Ambition: Shoe Worker

Hobby: Saving Souvenirs
Pet Aversion: A Person Who Can't Take a Joke

Activities: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrel Show 2, 3, 4.

There's something contagious about Rico's personality and talents. You can always rely on a good time and a good laugh when he is around.

ROBERT FREDERICK NIRO

Ambition: Electrical Engineer

Hobby: Music Pet Aversion: Walking

Activities: Student Council 3, 4; Football 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3; Dance Committee 3, 4; French Club 4; Band 1; Minstrel Show 3, 4; Junior-Senior Reception Committee 3; Science Club 3, 4; Intramurals 4; Budget Club 4; Senior Music 4; Senior Week.

Bob is always ready to lend a helping hand, especially in the transportation line. His escapades in French Class amused many a pupil.

IRENE ANN OLSON

Ambition: Secretary

Hobby: Traveling Pet Aversion: Waiting

Activities: Senior Music; Secretary of Junior-Senior Reception; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Budget Club 4; Senior Week.

Boys, steer clear of Irene, she's already taken. We hope the memorable day won't keep you waiting too long.

RICHARD ORSWELL

Ambition: Automobile Dealer

Hobby: Hunting, Baseball Pet Aversion: Rising Before Noon

Activities: Commercial Club 3, 4; Junior Dance Committee; Junior-Senior Reception Committee; Senior Music 4; Budget Club 4.

Bud is either seen obstructing the view of Park Pharmacy or flying around the corner in an auto.

FRANCES HELEN PAFUME

Ambition: Accountant

Hobby: Skating and Dancing Pet Aversion: Noisy Eaters

Activities: Budget Club; Commercial Club 3; Glee Club 2; Senior Music; O.L.I. Committee; Office Girl 2, 3; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4.

Pafie is always on the opposite side of an argument. Her frequent attack of giggles livened shorthand class immensely.

PAULINE ELEANOR PALANZI

Ambition: To be a Success

Hobby: Boston Red Sox, Music
Pet Aversion: Noisy Choir Rehearsals

Activities: Budget Club 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; O.L.I. Committee; Junior Dance Committee.

Pauline is our feminine class artist and supposed man-hater. Her smiling face can be seen all the way down the hall.

RICHARD JOHN PEDROLI

Ambition: U. S. Navy

Hobby: Hunting and Fishing
Pet Aversion: Getting Up in the Morning

Activities: Budget Club 4; Senior Music.

Dick prefers hunting to girls (not that we blame him). Sometimes though, a dance is more fun with a girl than with a gun.

ANGELA MARIE PERRONE

Ambition: Undecided

Hobby: Dancing and Bowling
Pet Aversion: Unreasonable People

Activities: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Music; Minstrel Show 4; Dante Club; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4.

Angie is absolutely carried away by Boots Mussulli. The Johnson Rag is bound to be internationalized after her rendition.

THERESA ELAINE PETRACCA

Ambition: Executive Secretary

Hobby: Dancing
Pet Aversion: Shakespearean Plays

Activities: Student Council 2, 3, 4; Class Secretary 3; Class Vice-President 4; O.L.I. Committee; Photo Editor; Junior-Senior Reception 3; Budget Club 4; Minstrel Show 2, 3, 4; Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club; M.H.S. Orchestra 2, 3; Basketball 2; Benefit Committee Chairman 4; M.H.S.S.A. Representative to Fitchburg 3.

Terry is well-dressed and enjoys music and dancing. Our lady will undoubtedly find the future as pleasant as school life.

ARLENE PHYLLIS PILLARELLA

Ambition: High School Teacher

Hobby: Talking and Eating Pet Aversion: Early to Bed

Activities: Dante Club 3, 4; German Club 4; Junior Dance Committee; Junior-Senior Reception Committee; Basketball 1; Minstrel Show 2, 3, 4; Majorette 3, 4; O.L.I. 3, 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Office Girl 2, 3, 4.

Arlene literally started the Minstrel Show off with a "bang"! Her sportsmanship was also displayed at the Junior-Senior Reception.

LEONARD FRANCIS RAGO

Ambition: Engineer

Hobby: Sports Pet Aversion: Study

Activities: Football 2, 3; Student Council 2, Vice-President 3; President 4; Science Club Treasurer 3; Class Treasurer 3; German Club Treasurer; Junior Dance Committee Co-Chairman; Junior-Senior Recpt. Treasurer; Budget Club; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3; O.L.I. 3; Minstrel Show 3; Senior Week.

Lenny is an all-around schoolboy who brightened up our socials. An argumentative trait insures him the last word.

MARY KATHLEEN REDDEN

Ambition: To be a Success

Hobby: Sports Pet Aversion: Dentists

Activities: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Minstrel Show 4; Commercial Club 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Music 4.

Mary is one of our happy-go-lucky classmates. Her singing clarinet is a well-known trade-mark of Mr. Lancisi's group.

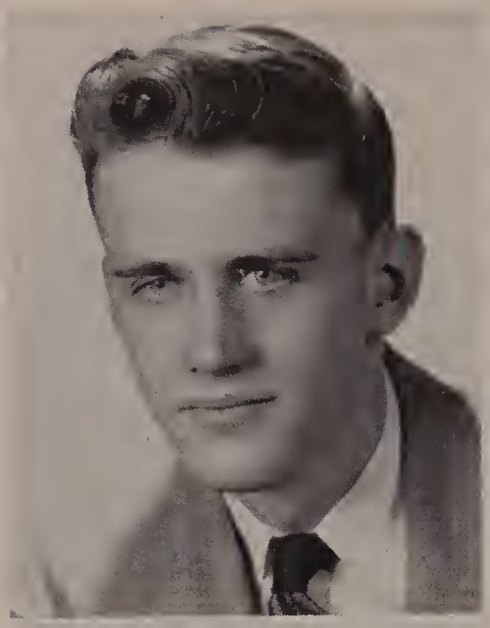
JAMES JOSEPH REYNOLDS

Ambition: To Attend College

Hobby: Bowling Pet Aversion: Shaving

Activities: Football 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 3; Senior Music 4; Budget Club 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; German Club 4; Senior Week.

Jim can always be relied upon for a bashful smile. His calm nature will undoubtedly prove an asset in his career.



FRED IRVING ROSE

Ambition: Commercial Airline Pilot

Hobby: Model Airplanes and Dancing

Pet Aversion: Homework

Activities: Student Council 1; Band 1, 2; Football 3; Chairman of Junior-Senior Reception; Budget Club; Intramural Basketball 3.

"Teddy" is our dignified classmate; a trait that will add color to his future as a pilot. Though he dislikes homework, his dancing ability excuses this.

BARBARA ROSEN

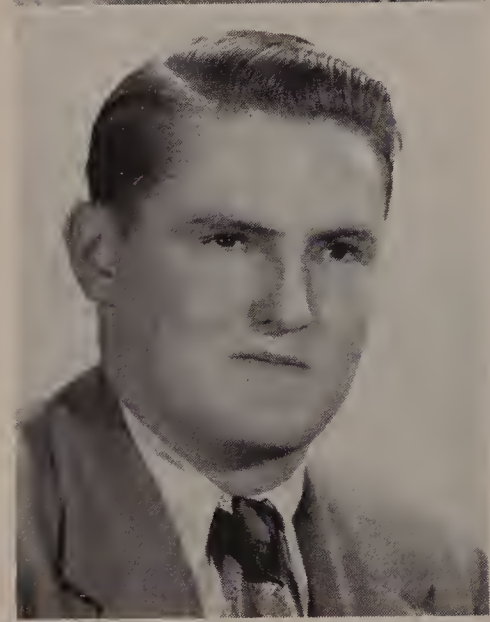
Ambition: Bookkeeper

Hobby: Drawing and Dancing

Pet Aversion: Shakespearian Plays

Activities: Commercial Club 3, 4; Commercial Club Buzz Reporter; Budget Club 4; O.L.I. Committee; Senior Music 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4.

Bookkeeping is just up Barbara's alley. Her genuine interest in spelling has been the cause of many laughs.



HERMAN CYRIL RYAN

Ambition: Mechanical Engineer

Hobby: Sports, Photography

Pet Aversion: Big Wheels

Activities: Science Club 3, 4; Camera Club 4; Senior Music 4, Senior Week.

Herman is one-half of the Chauncey Hall team. His friendly disposition has withstood many a joke about his choice of college.

LARRY NICHOLAS SANTORO

Ambition: Musician

Hobby: Swimming

Pet Aversion: Homework

Activities: Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4.

Larry is a soft-spoken friend and is often serious and bashful. A good joke, however, will make him break out with that bashful smile.

IDA SMITH

Ambition: Secretary

Hobby: Music and Dancing Pet Aversion: Insincere People

Activities: Class Secretary 4; Commercial Club 3; Board of Directors and Program Committee 4; M.H.S. Commercial Assistant Editor 3; Co-Editor 4; Junior O.L.I. Committee; O.L.I. Committee 4; Business Manager; Basketball 1; Budget Club 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Group; Senior Music.

Ida's ready smile and magnetic personality should be a great asset to her — always co-operative and willing to help others.

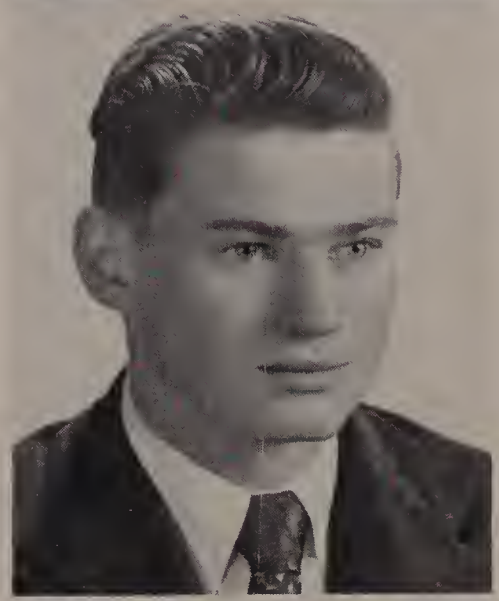
RICHARD PAUL SPINDEL

Ambition: Sailor

Hobby: Hunting and Fishing
Pet Aversion: School During Hunting Season

Activities: M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Music 4.

Dick is a happy-go-lucky lad who is liked by everyone who knows him. When hunting season is here, you can't tie him down.



EDWARD STEIN

Ambition: To Open a Furniture Store

Hobby: Stamp Collecting Pet Aversion: Homework

Activities: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Intramural Basketball 1, 2; Minstrel Show 2, 3, 4; Junior-Senior Reception Committee; Budget Club 4; Senior Music.

Eddie has played in the band for four years. Before long we expect he'll be operating his own symphony group.

DOROTHY RITA TAYLOR

Ambition: Actress

Hobby: Swimming Pet Aversion: Conceited People

Activities: Junior Red Cross Committee; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Junior Dance Committee Associate; Junior Senior Reception Committee O.L.I. Committee; Budget Club 4; Senior Music.

Dot is gifted with a sweet and pleasing voice. Her sweet and gracious manner has won her a host of admirers and friends.

JOSEPH MANUEL TAXIERA

Ambition: Mechanic

Hobby: Fixing Engines

Pet Aversion: Jobs Which Require Patience

Activities: M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Budget Club 4; Senior Music.

Joe is always quick with answers, except in A-14. Even though Mr. Nelson offers no guarantee on Joe's jobs, he'll make the grade.

BIAGIO TOMASO

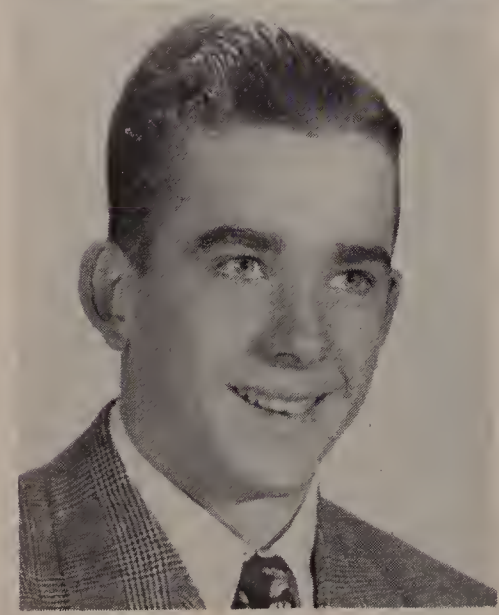
Ambition: To Play Sports

Hobby: Music

Pet Aversion: "A Losing Team"

Activities: Baseball 2, 3, 4; Budget Club 4; Senior Music; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club.

This future Dick Contino never worries. St. Mary's was a victim of his determination for success.



PAUL GERARD TOUHEY

Ambition: Teacher-Coach

Hobby: Sports

Pet Aversion: Oral Topics

Activities: Football 1, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Minstrel Show 4; Budget Club 4; Senior Music.

Paul is always ready to help a friend. Also one of our most improved basketball players. His witty nature surprised us all.

RICHARD C. VARNEY

Ambition: Engineer

Hobby: Fishing

Pet Aversion: None

Activities: Band 1, 2, 3, 4; Science Club 3, 4; Baseball 3; Budget Club 4; Intramural Basketball 3, 4; Senior Music, Senior Week.

Dick is the other half of the Chauncey Hall twosome. He can always be counted on to join the fun.

ELEANOR ANNE VESPERI

Ambition: Nurse

Hobby: Dancing and Sports

Pet Aversion: Monday Mornings

Activities: M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1; French Club 4; Budget Club 4; Minstrel Show 4; Senior Music 4.

When "What's the scoop?" is heard we need not wonder who, it Must be Eleanor. Her contagious joviality will always prove an asset in life.

JOHN PATRICK VILLANI

Ambition: Singing

Hobby: Music

Pet Aversion: None

Activities: Glee Club; Senior Music; Minstrel Show.

Johnny is a talented boy with a sparkling voice that has caused many a girl to swoon. He is always ready to set us dancing with his music.

GRACE MARIE VOLPE

Ambition: Success In Life

Hobby: Eating and Dancing

Pet Aversion: Stubborn People

Activities: M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3; Dante Club Treasurer 4; Minstrel Show 4; Glee Club 2, 4; Basketball 1, 2; Junior Prom Committee 3; Budget Club 4; Senior Week.

Here is the life of any party. Her pranks would even change the facial expressions of the Russians.

ALICE JOAN WELLMAN

Ambition: Governess

Hobby: Dancing

Pet Aversion: People Who Can't Make up Their Mind

Activities: Basketball 1, 2; Budget Club 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Senior Music.

Joan is as sweet as the candy she sells. If the children she cares for like her as well as we do, she will surely succeed.

VENTURA MARIA ZINGALE

Ambition: Medical Secretary

Hobby: Eating and Dancing Pet Aversion: Waiting

Activities: Student Council 2, 3, 4; M.H.S.S.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 4; O.L.I. Committee 4; Cheerleader 3, 4; Dante Club 3, 4; Minstrel Show 3, 4; Budget Club; Honor Group.

Vinnie is well known for her daily joke. Her laugh can be heard all over the school. All hail to our prophetess.

D. A. R. Award

This year Regina Bianchi was chosen by the members of the senior class as their representative for the D. A. R. Award. The qualities which determined the selection were as follows: dependability, truthfulness, honesty, punctuality, service, helpfulness, responsibility, leadership, personality, self control, initiative, patriotism and unselfish loyalty to American ideals.

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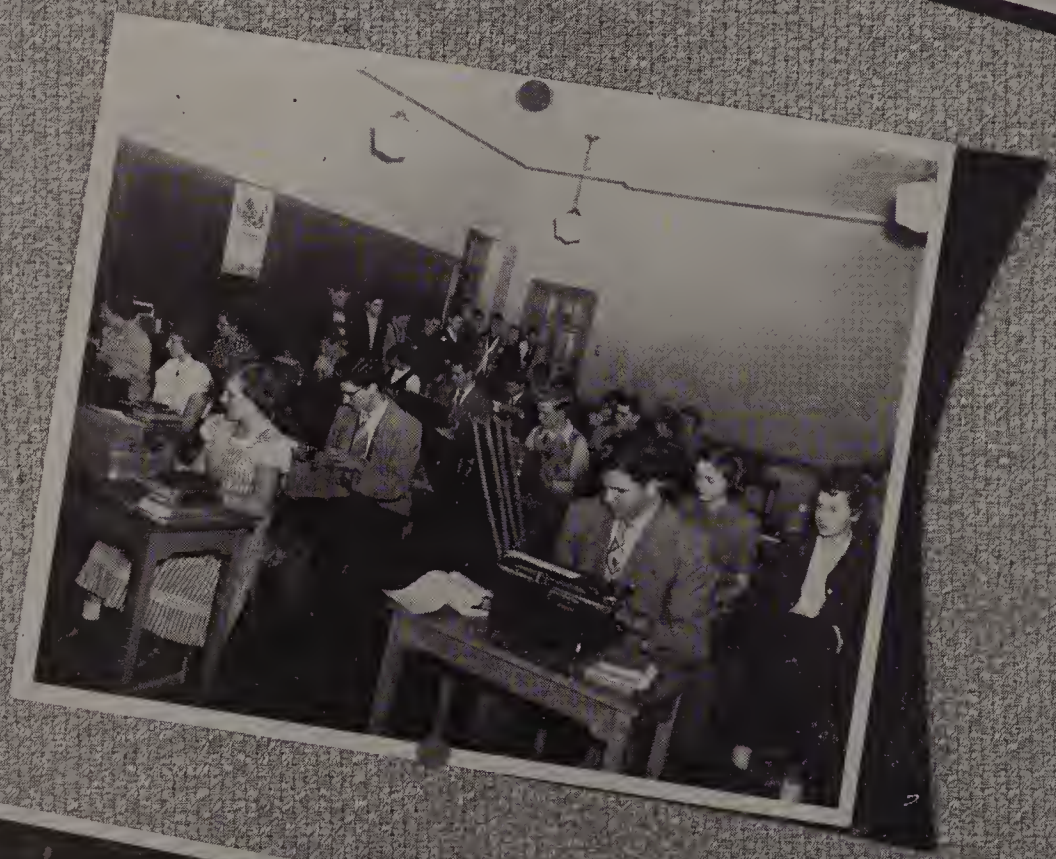

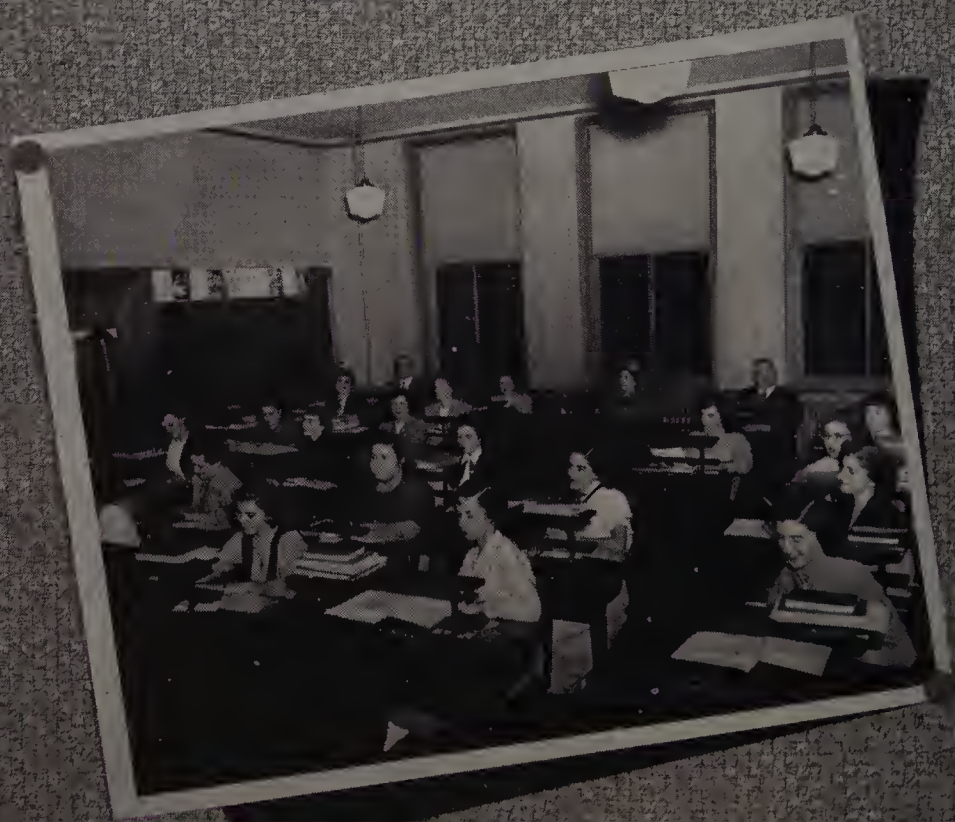

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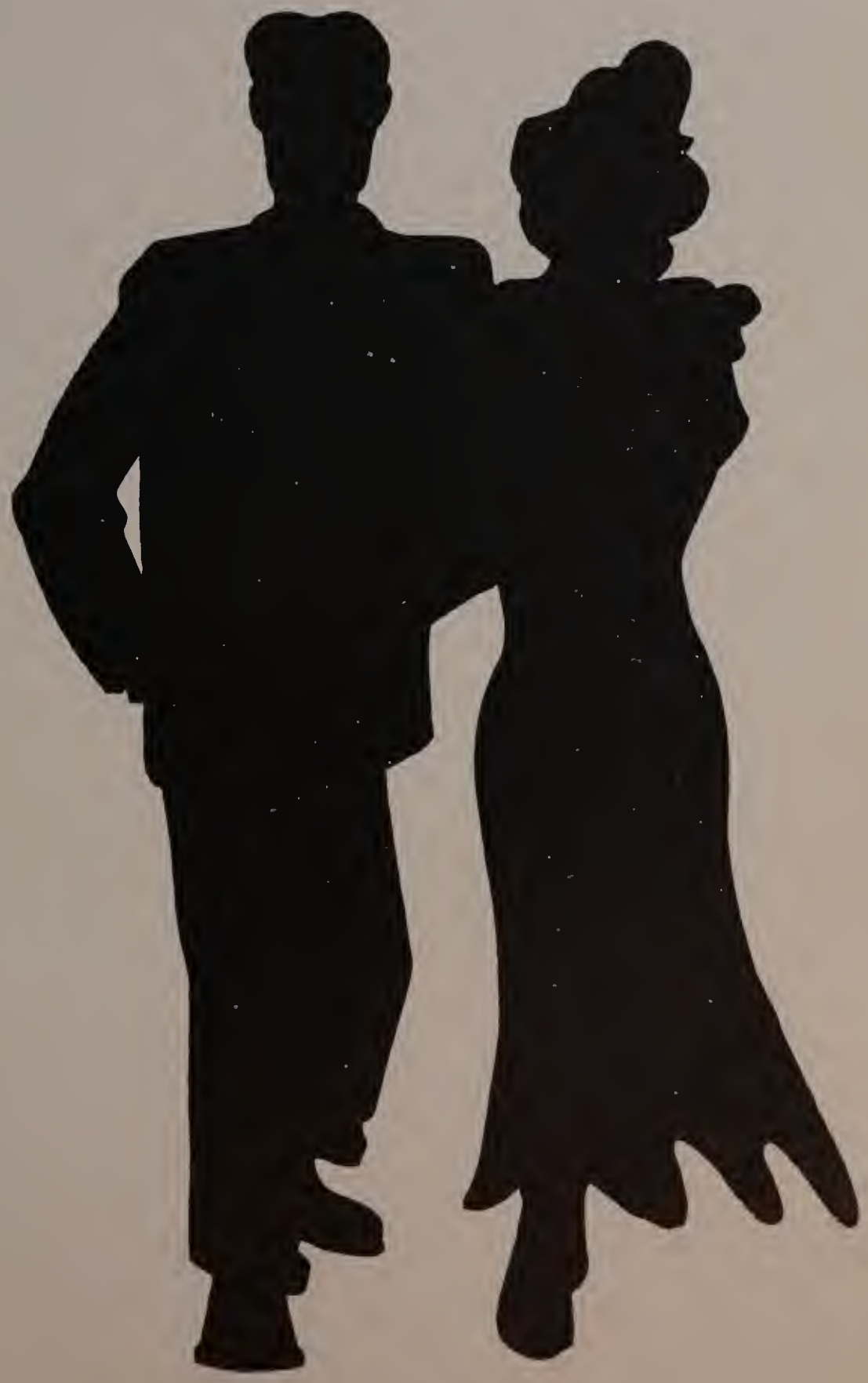

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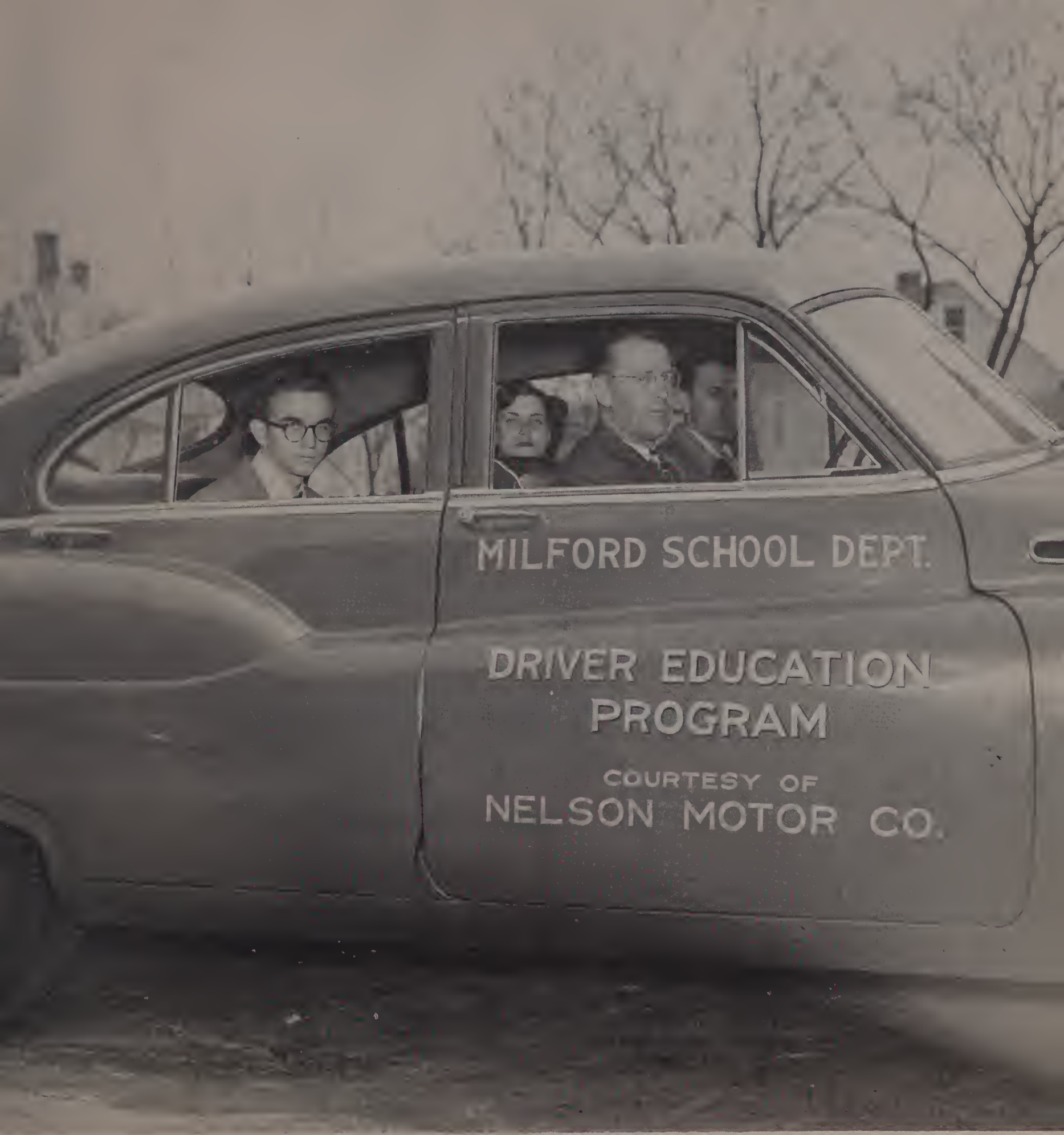

. . . . . *To Drive the School Car*

We Practice in Speech Class . . . .

. . . . . *To Praise Our Cafeteria*

Everybody Reads The Oak, Lily and Ivy

After our November 10th Armistice Day Program, Mr. Tosches read the anxiously awaited list of O.L.I. appointees. These students had the job of creating the Oak, Lily, and Ivy. They also were responsible for the financial arrangements involved in its success. The members of the committee, soon after this announcement, were given different assignments to fulfill and each has made an important contribution to add to the interest of the readers.

At the first meeting elections were held. The following officers were elected:

Editor-in-chief	Richard Erickson
Business Manager	Ida Smith
Literary Editor	Frances Namaka
Photo Editor	Theresa Petracca
Sports Editor	Tillie Marcone
Circulation Manager	Joseph Miannini

Since early December the committee members and their faculty advisors, Miss Pyne and Mr. Sweeney, have been working diligently to compile a yearbook that will do justice not only to themselves but to the school.

It has been the policy of the committee to include in the book as many photographs of students and school activities as possible. It is our sincere hope that this aim has been fulfilled, and that all deserving individuals and organizations have been sufficiently recognized.

Oak, Lily and Ivy Committee

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Ventura Zingale
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Ernestine Iannitelli
Eleanor Diomedes
Rita Liberatore
Regina Bianchi
Tillie Marcone
Fay Cosentino
Arlene Pillerella

and the Commercial Paper

At the first meeting of the Commercial Club the following officers were elected: Earl Nelson, President; Joanne Lenares, Vic-president; Tillie Marcone, Secretary; and Ann Lorraine Serrano, Treasurer. Members of the Board of Directors and Program Committee were also chosen at this meeting.

The Commercial Club was organized in 1939 by Miss Eva Burns. For the past eleven years it has been one of the most active clubs in Milford High under the excellent supervision of Miss Burns, the adviser.

The main purposes of the Commercial Club are to teach the students the necessity of co-operation, to develop their talents, abilities, and character, and to enable them to take an active part in the affairs of the school so that they may become good citizens.

An outstanding function of the Commercial Club is the publishing of the monthly paper entitled the MHS Commercial. This paper consists of the editorial column, short stories, school news, the sport section, the popular "buzz" section, and miscellaneous articles. The students who have worked on this paper have enjoyed it tremendously, despite the many hours of work involved.

A major activity that was a great success this year was the sponsoring of amateur Dr. I. Q. Quiz Shows. Earl Nelson acted as Dr. I. Q. and Ronald Pagnini took the part of Allan Anthony. These contests were enjoyed by both teachers and students.

We sincerely hope the Commercial Club will continue to do the good work it has in the past and that the pupils will make use of the many opportunities it offers.

The Senior Week Committee Planned Well

The Senior Week Committee was appointed late in April and immediately started plans for the final week of our school career. Plans for Senior night, the excursion, the banquet, and all other activities so dear to the hearts of all graduates were formulated under the guidance of Mr. Harold M. Moran.

These are members of the Senior Week Committee:

RICHARD AGHAJANIAN
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KARAKIAN BEDROSIAN
RITA BERARDI
HELEN BREAULT
ANNA CARDONE
CATHERINE CARLEY
MARY DILLON
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TINA CHELLI
LOUIS GIAMARCO
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ROBERT NIRO
IRENE OLSON
LEONARD RAGO
JAMES REYNOLDS
HERMAN RYAN
RICHARD VARNEY
GRACE VOLPE

The Student Association

The Milford High School Student Association is composed of pupils who pay the yearly membership fee set by the Student Council early in the year. The Student Council acts as a governing body of the association. In order that a student may enjoy the social benefits of the school, he must be a member of the association.

Each year a series of four assemblies is held in the auditorium. These assemblies are chosen by a Program Committee. This year four of the best assemblies ever presented at the school were witnessed.

An eager audience was hushed when the President of our Association, Leonard Rago, came upon the stage to introduce our first program of the year. Amid the applause of the excited audience, the curtain rose on **The Conservatory Players.** The program that followed proved to be very interesting. These five people presented a two act play entitled: **"The Importance of Being Earnest,"** which was enjoyed by all because of its comical incidents and its literary value.

Adventures and thrills constituted the theme of our next assembly. Captain James Colette, related his adventures behind the enemy lines in Germany and Italy. **Intrigue Behind The Lines,** filled with humor and excitement, kept the audience either laughing to hysterics or on the edge of their chairs.

The music lovers enjoyed the performance of Edith Marshall, who played the English Hand bells, the zylophone and the French lyre at our third assembly. Miss Clarke played both classical and popular songs.

Planned Our Programs

There's The French Club

How overindulgent we were at meetings of Le Cercle de Jeanne d'Arc'. Mademoiselle Pianca always carried us away mentally to France and the Riviera with her interesting discussions of French dress, manners, and especially the tasty French dishes.

The officers of Le Cercle de Jeanne d'Arc were Louis Bertonazzi, President; Anthony DiNardo, Vice President; Frances Namaka, Secretary; Elaine Kurlansky, Treasurer.

We wish to express our deepest appreciation and gratitude to Mlle. Pianca for all that she has done for us in the way of acquainting us with France and more important, teaching us how to study and think for ourselves.

Der Deutscherverein was organized under the capable supervision of Fraulein Margaret Pianca. The officers were Regina Bianchi, President; Rita Berardi, Vice-president; Jean Morganelli, Secretary; Leonard Rago, Treasurer.

While reading a favorite novel, entitled, "Emil und die Detektive," a cake, which in German is "apfelkuchen," was mentioned. To our delight and surprise our beloved Fraulein brought us a sample of this delicious delicacy.

At Christmas time we were all invited to a party at her home. It certainly turned out to be some party! There was enough food to feed the whole German Army. We marvelled at the glass Christmas tree decorated with gum drops and various kinds of fancy Christmas candy underneath it and Chocolate Santa Clauses all around it.

The German Club is grateful to Fraulein Pianca for all she has done, and will remember her always as being helpful and kind.

The German Club

The Dante Club

Once again the Dante Club completes a successful year, under the capable supervision of Mr. Gabriel Di Battista. The first meeting was on November 18, 1949, when the election of officers took place. Those elected were: Attilio Giammarco, President; Catherine Liberto, Vice-President; Rose Creasia, Secretary; Grace Volpe, Treasurer.

With money collected from dues, the club held its annual dance in the early part of May.

Largely through Mr. Di Battista's efforts the Dante Club has offered opportunities for the study of Italian, and we know the classes to follow us will continue to find this club pleasant and profitable.

The Junior Science Club was reorganized in this, its twentieth year, under the supervision of Mr. Fred Metcalf. Our club proved to be, as in all previous years, a tremendous success.

This year began excellently with the election of capable officers: President, David Luzietti; Vice-President, Anthony DiNardo; Secretary, Harry Germagian; Treasurer, Richard Innis.

The chief aim of the club is to stimulate an interest in science. The enthusiasm shown by the members in conducting their individual experiments at meetings clearly illustrates the fulfillment of this purpose. Another phase of our meetings which was looked forward to by all were the movies on subjects relative to recent scientific developments.

The members of the Junior Science Club will always be grateful to Mr. Metcalf. In future years we shall think of him with none but the fondest regard.

The Junior Science Club

The Library Assistants

The annual John E. Swift Oratorical Contest was won this year by Dorothy Taylor. Each finalist was selected by the English teachers for the excellence of his essay. Then Miss O'Connell took the group in hand and worked minor miracles in the pronunciation, gestures and delivery of each speaker. The final presentation was made before the student body in the auditorium.

Each contestant is to be congratulated for the fine manner in which he delivered his speech. It took some deliberation to make the final choice. All agreed however that the contest was the "best held so far at the High School."

The Oratorical Group

We Sing in the Glee Club

One of our school's most interesting and outstanding organizations is the Glee Club, which provided proper training under competent supervision of Mr. Alex DiGiannantonio. Great appreciation of the Glee Club is demonstrated by the student body at the assemblies. It contributes much toward making the gathering interesting and entertaining.

The Glee Club met on Mondays and Wednesdays in the auditorium, and the work and interest of these students was well appreciated.

During the Yuletide Season, the spirit of "peace on earth to men of good will" was brought to many when the Glee Club rendered Christmas Carols in different sections of the town. A note of thanks must be extended to Larry Santoro who patiently accompanied us even in our most trying moments.

The class of 1950 wishes to express its sincere gratitude to the members of the Glee Club and to Mr. Alex DiGiannantonio for their noble efforts in such a worthy activity.

We Play in the Band

Milford may be justly proud of its high school band. Under the direction of Mr. Lancisi, the band in the past few years has made itself well known in central Massachusetts. It certainly ranks as one of the finest small school bands in the state.

This year the band played at most of our football games; their appearance was the subject of many laudatory comments. In October the group was selected to play at the Meadows in Framingham, for part of the Convention of The National Association of Truck Owners, an organization composed of the executives of larger trucking concerns of the nation. During the Christmas season part of the band played in the shopping district, at rest homes and hospitals, and many private homes throughout the town. In May the band gave its annual concert before a large audience. It was an all request program; several of the selections played were: Stardust, Rhapsody in Blue, South of the Rio, and Selections from Showboat. On May 20, the Central Massachusetts Music Festival was held in Milford, and our band was one of the leading participating groups.

Perform in our Minstrel Show . . . .

Thirteenth Annual Minstrel Show

The zero hour struck, the lights were dimmed by Bob Niro, Ben Lancisi sat down at his piano and our interlocutor, Dick Collins, straightened his collar for the umteenth time. A hush fell over the audience as the strains of the piano music penetrated their ears. Three lovely lasses stepped from behind the curtain and began their sonnet about the show. Thus on the night of December 14, 1949 the **THIRTEENTH ANNUAL MINSTREL SHOW** was under way.

After the endmen made their entrance from the

back of the stage and sang their little song, supposedly in unison, Dick Collins greeted the audience.

The first number **POWDER YOUR FACE WITH SUNSHINE,** was sung by one of our '50 'ers, Arlene Pillarella, assisted by a well-drilled chorus. The endmen managed to get their jokes in between acts. An accordian solo was rendered by Frank Milani. A medley of songs from **Showboat** presented by Lillian DeManche, Rico Niro, and Carol Trudeau was one of the highlights of the presentation. Special skits were presented by Earl Nelson, Duke Farese, Bob Niro, Harely Breault, and Ernie Pellegrini. One of the outstanding numbers was an imitation of Sid Stone by Anthony DiNardo assisted by Rudy Iacovelli. The endmen, all of whom rendered vocal solos, were Eddie Trant, Bob Melpignano, Gus Diotelevi, Rico Niro, Paul Areano and Snooky Bertonazzi. Ernie Mastronianni gave a marvelous impersonation of Enzio Pinza singing **SOME ENCHANTED EVENING.** Johnny Villani was really terrific with his harmonica solo and his impersonation of the Ink Spots singing **YOU WERE ONLY FOOLING.** With the entrance of Goldberg's Shamrocks, a band made up entirely of the Jewish members of the M.H.S. band, the audience began to roll in the aisles. All dressed in Irish green, the band played and sang to the tune of **MC NAMARA'S BAND.**

The entire cast participated in the grand finale, which consisted of appropriate Christmas carols.

We the class of 1950, wish to take this opportunity to express our deep gratitude and thanks to Mr. Ben Lancisi and his cast for another successful show.

Coming Attractions . . . . . .

The annual Junior Prom conducted this year by the class of 1951 has again proved a tremendous success. On the evening of April 15th, seventy-seven couples crowded our auditorium to dance to the music of Ben Lancisi's orchestra.

The setting was unique, to say the least. Nervous escorts, (incidentally, mostly newly licensed drivers) after parking the family cars ever so cautiously, directed their charming dates in to a realistic South Pacific scene. The native dancing girls seemed almost to be dancing on their perches about the room. Gayly colored decorations further accented the many lovely gowns.

The grand march was led by President Gerard Cugini and Chairman Ronald Pagnini assisted by the other officers and members of the committee. Many of the seniors were present. Thus another prom directed by Fred A. Metcalf goes in history as a success. These seniors-to-be are certainly not lacking the social graces.

Junior Prom Committee

Ronald Pagnini — Chairman
Philomena Cardone — Secretary

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Barbara Brown
Barbara DiVittorio
Ann Pilla
Gerard Cugini
Richard Elliot
Anthony Manbucca

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SPORTS

Football

Football at Milford High has always been one of the major sports. The spirit of the team has always been willing, but there have been several occasions where this spirit was not quite enough. Playing teams like Natick and Framingham demands big, fast men who have a will to win. Pupils who would have made good football players did not come out for the team. In a school such as ours the job of accomplishing success is everybody's business. No one person or group of persons can achieve this goal without the aid and support of everyone in the organization.

The season started off rather well. Captain Sonny Tomaso was a defensive standout in our 27-7 victory over North Attleboro. Then followed a series of defeats at the hand of powerful rivals. Some solace was gained by our victory over St. Mary's in the final game at Fino Field.

Next year's prospects include Joe Stocio and Eddie Tighe. In spring practice several other prospects looked good. The team will be as good however as the support given it by the students. The classes which follow ours can profit by our experience and achieve success by dint of hard work and a search for the will to win.

Football 1949

September	24	Milford at No. Attleboro	27-7
October	1	Natick at Milford	0-34
October	8	Milford at Marlboro	0-47
October	15	Clinton at Milford	6-27
October	29	Franklin at Milford	0-18
November	5	Milford at Webster	0-27
November	11	Milford at Framingham	33-0
November	19	Maynard at Milford	40-6
November	24	St. Mary's	25-6

Basketball

Basketball at Milford High School has been a major sport for many years. The major objective of a basketball season is to develop a winning spirit and good team play which will pay off in actual games. Naturally the drive and urge to win are important in the development of character. The basketball team did more than build character. This year the team climaxed a successful season by defeating St. Mary's.

Sonny Kearnan became a hero by sinking two precious points to win the final game 37-36.

Lou Giamarco and Bob Melpignano were consistently high scorers with Stocio and Kearnan tossing in important points in crucial games. Coach J. Francis Cahill had words of praise for all members of the squad and he looks forward to successful seasons guiding those who this year were our Junior Varsity.

The loss of such players as Melpignano, Kearnan and Giamarco will be felt severely. The present jjunior class will be represented by several members who show great promise. Joe Stocio, who seems to do most things well, will furnish a lot of strength for next year's team. Incidentally he's a good football player and does quite well at baseball.

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Mil.	Opp.		
47	36	Dec. 21	Alumni
24	39	Jan. 6	Milford at Franklin
16	36	Jan. 10	Marlboro at Milford
37	33	Jan. 13	Clinton at Milford
32	35	Jan. 17	Milford at No. Attleboro
25	34	Jan. 20	Maynard at Milford
39	57	Jan. 25	Milford at Hudson
44	68	Jan. 31	Franklin at Milford
30	34	Feb. 3	Milford at Marlboro
36	57	Feb. 7	Milford at Clinton
36	28	Feb. 11	St. Mary's (home)
48	46	Feb. 14	Maynard at Milford
56	41	Feb. 17	Hudson at Milford
52	22	Feb. 21	No. Attleboro at Milford
37	36	Feb. 25	St. Mary's (home)

The 1950 Baseball Season

Many say that love accompanies the ushering in of spring, but sports-minded persons think differently. Spring ushers in the arrival of American's national sport — Baseball.

The team started out by winning the first three games defeating Clinton's power house in a close battle. Stoico proved his versatility by pitching effectively in a relief role. His hitting and the fielding of the whole club were the features of these games.

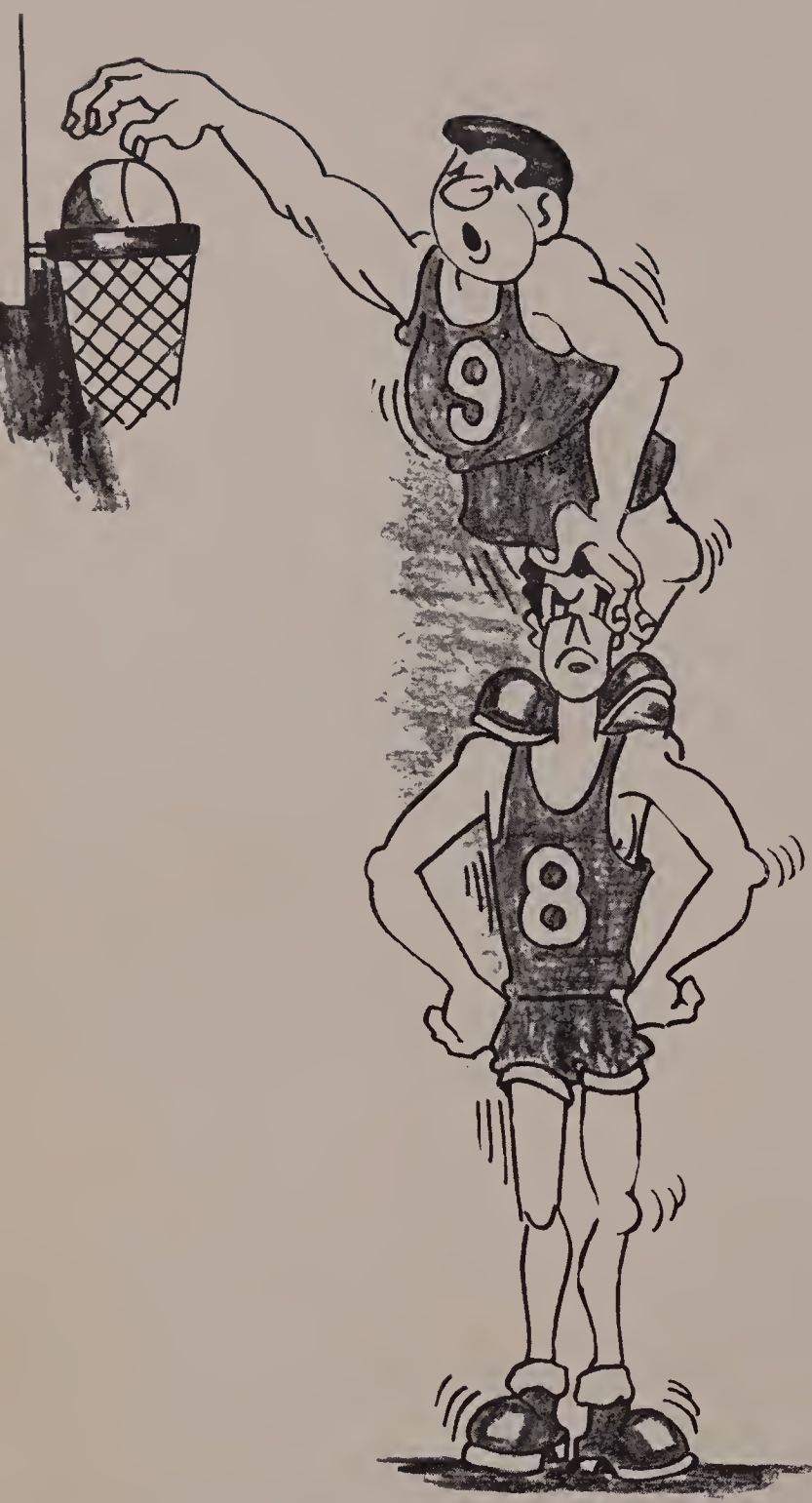
In the fourth game played, Milford took on Maynard. This was a weird contest. Wildness was the keynote of the game. Milford scored 15 runs on four hits to win 15-1. In one inning eleven men were walked.

This year's Milford team has a schedule consisting mainly of Midland League games and for the first time in recent years will play several twilight contests. Framingham and Natick High have been replaced by North Attleboro and Wellesley High.

By the time this book is published, the season will be entirely completed and we know that Milford High will have its share of victories as well as defeats, but we also know that the Milford High team will play well even under defeat.

1950 BASEBALL SCHEDULE

Date		Opponent	Score
April	21	Milford at Hudson — Postponed	
April	22	Wellesley at Milford	8-1
April	25	Clinton at Milford	8-7
April	27	North Attleboro at Milford	4-0
April	29	Milford at Wellesley — Postponed	
May	2	Milford at Maynard	
May	5	Marlboro at Milford	
May	12	Maynard at Milford	
May	16	Milford at North Attleboro	
May	19	Milford at Marlboro	
May	23	Hudson at Milford	
May	26	Milford at Clinton	
May	30	St. Mary's	
June	3	St. Mary's	



Intramural Basketball . .

The Intramural Basketball League was formed this year as an adjunct to our expanding physical education program. The policy of the league is to supply an opportunity to engage in sports to those who do not compete on the varsity teams. The boys take their game very seriously.

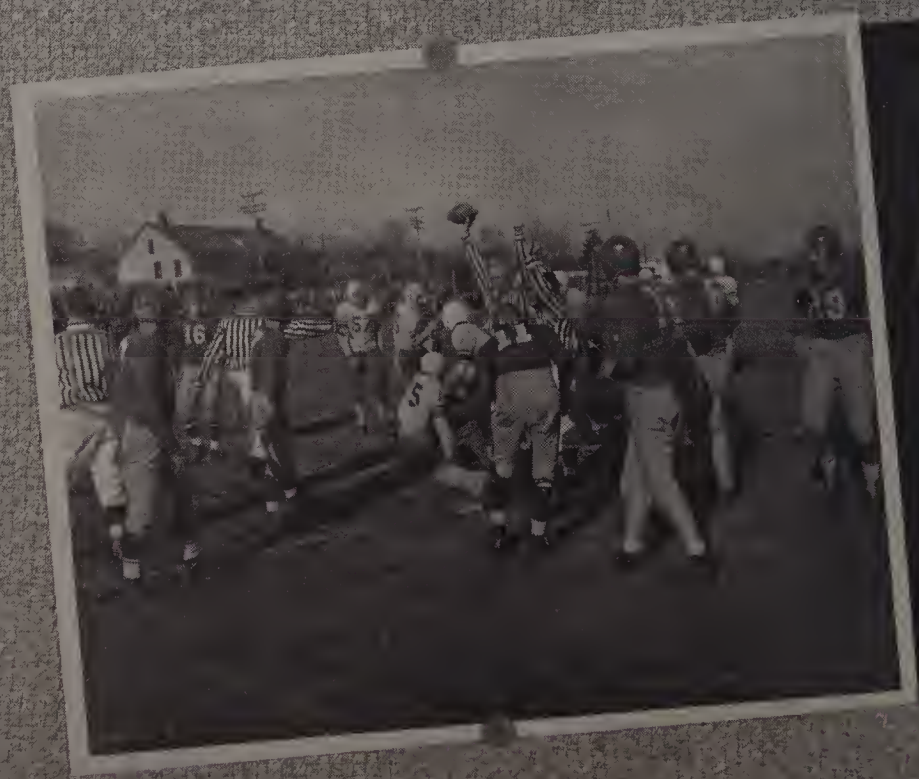
This year the winning team was captained by Acqua fresca. The team went through a successful season against keen competition. Future classes at M.H.S. will do well to foster this type of sport. Intramural competition is amateur sport at its best.

Our Cheerleaders . .

Taking the leading role in the support of their team were co-captains Tillie Marcone and Tina Ghelli, Vinnie Zingale, Catherine Liberto, Lillian Lombardi, Josephine Tumolo, and Mary Vartabedian.

Red skirts and white sweaters were the uniform for the past year. The cheerleaders added much color and glamour to the games while on the football field or on the basketball court.

The inspiring cheerleaders have done a great job for a great cause.



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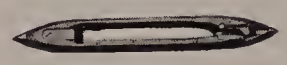

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This is a good opportunity to call your attention to some of the sketches done by Paul Valerio, a member of the Junior Class. Paul is responsible for many of the sketches which appear in the book. His talent will be recognized commercially we know, and we recommend that next year's class find a place of importance for him on the O. L. I. staff.

We want to thank Mr. Lancisi for making our Theatre Party a success. We want to thank all those who took part in it. We went to the Stacy School for talent in this show and were rewarded by June Constantino who performed so well.

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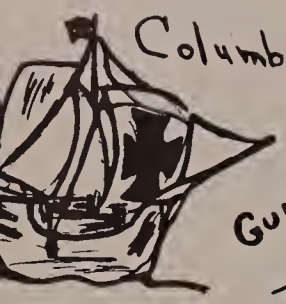

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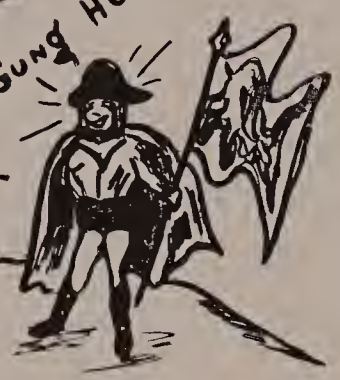

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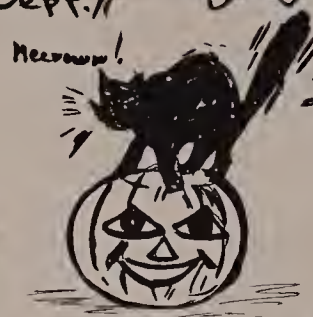

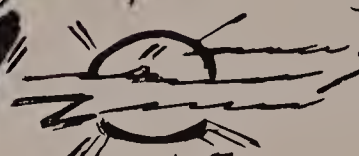

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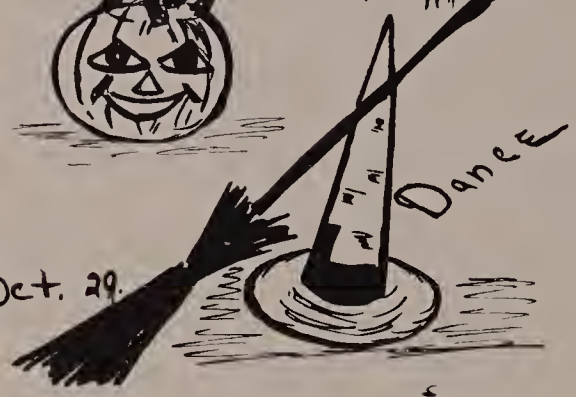

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Nov. 4

Thanksgiving Recess

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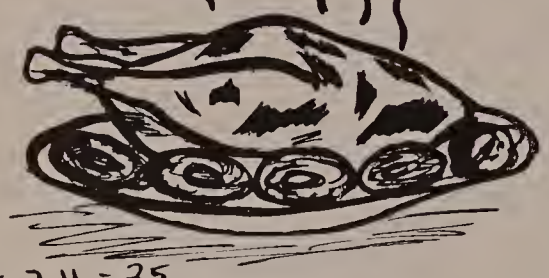


Nov. 24 - 25

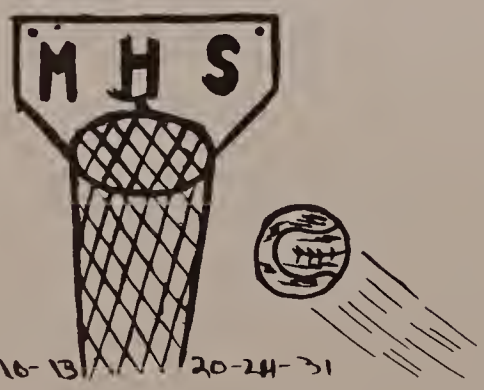
Game w/ Victory for US!

Nov. 25

Science Club Dance

Dec. 10

Out of town games



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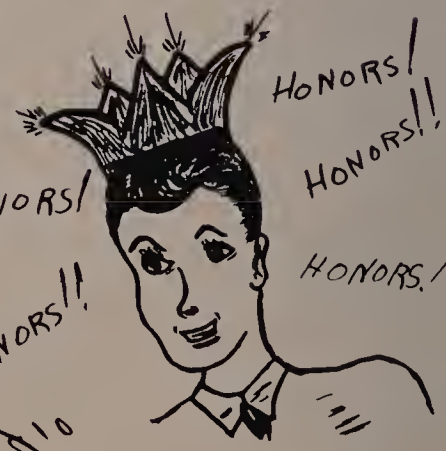
Winter Vacation

Feb. 18 - 26



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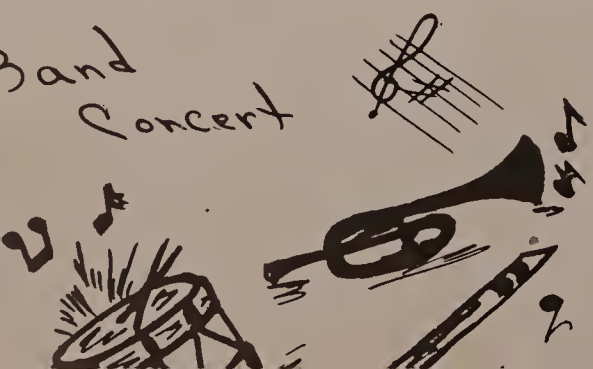
Band Concert



Memorial Day

Our big week!!

Calendar

H.A.S.S.X. Officers

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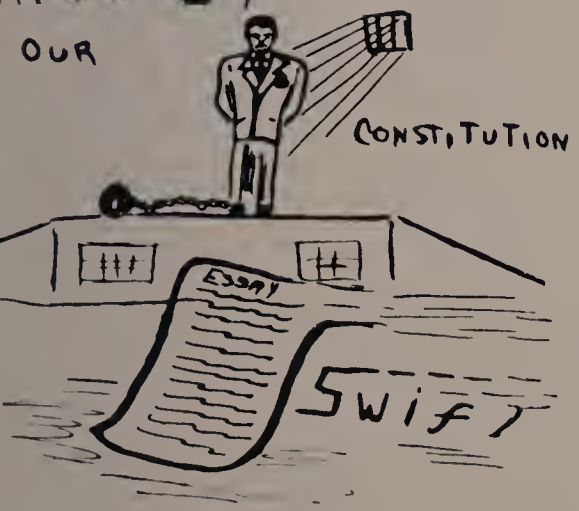
Sept. 27

Sept. 20

Sept. 10

Sept. 14



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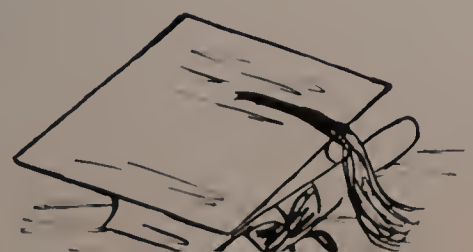
Our Graduation!



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Nov. 11

Game

Nov. 19

BELLS!!

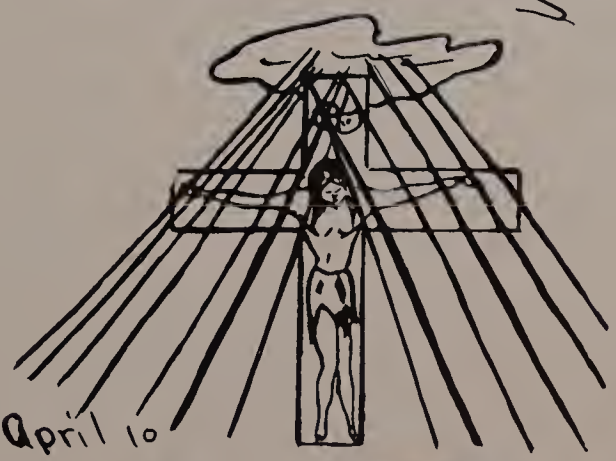
Dec. 21

Christmas Program

Christmas Vacation!!

Dec. 21 - Jan 2

Good Friday



April 10

Spring Vacation

April 15 - 23

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